



California Physician Performance Initiative (CPPI)

Clinical Quality Measure Specifications 2009

Heart Failure Patients: Left Ventricular Ejection Fraction Testing (HF2)

Measure:

Heart failure patients who were hospitalized October 1, 2007 to September 30, 2008 with a principal diagnosis of heart failure and who had a left ventricular ejection fraction test (LVEF) test.

Eligible Population:

Adults 18 years and older, as of October 1, 2007 with a documented diagnosis of heart failure. Patient must have had at least two face-to-face office visits during the measurement time period October 1, 2007 to September 30, 2008.

Codes to Identify Heart Failure

Description	ICD-9-CM Diagnosis
Heart Failure	402.01, 402.11, 402.91, 404.01, 404.03, 404.11, 404.13, 404.91, 404.93, 428.0, 428.1, 428.20-428.23, 428.30-428.33, 428.40-428.43, 428.9

Continuous Enrollment in Health Plan:

The measurement year (October 1, 2007 through September 30, 2008).

Exclusions:

None.

Numerator Event:

1. Patients with quantitative or qualitative results of LVEF assessment recorded as identified by the following CPT codes:

78414, 78468, 78472, 78473, 78480, 250907009,
366188009, 78481, 78483, 78494, 93303, 93304, 93307,
93308, 93312, 93314, 93315, 93317, 93350, 93543

Designated Specialties: Family Practice, internal medicine and cardiology.

Measure Definition Source: American Medical Association's Physician Consortium for Performance Improvement.

© American Medical Association. All rights reserved.

Current Procedure Terminology © American Medical Association. All rights reserved

SNOMED Clinical Terms © (SNOMED CT ©) copyright College of American Pathologists. All rights reserved.